# THE ST. LOUIS REPUBLIC.

NINETY-SECOND YEAR.

ST. LOUIS, MO., THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1900.

AN EYEWITNESS .\*

Jells for the First Time the

Story of How Alexander II of

\* Russia Was Assassinated.

NEXT SUNDAY'S REPUBLIC

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The Reverend Mr. Shelden Says That the Great Moral Questions Come First.

#### AN EDITORIAL LEADS TO-DAY.

cialistic Trend in the Paper Under the Minister's Galdance.

sas City to-day. The family resides in To-peks. In deference to the parents, Mr.

Mormonium. The second top-head article is contributed by the Proportional Repre-sentation League under the heading "A Fair Suffrace. An article under the the first of the smidth did not think this the time for treperty to triff the parents.

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Sabelon will print only the Associated Press report of the smidth did not think this the time for treperty to triff the parents of store in the first of store in the contributed in Topeka than in any other town of store in the Unit of State. This is the the time for treperty to triff the parents of third top head discusses the practic of the formation about the young man's calmaters all over the country. Naturally, of certain atheistic and Robentan news. papers and societies which teach that te-ligion is a farce. This affice asserts that don mailing that the way discharged by

"The Saloon Must Die" is the heading of a contributed article by C. M. Heward of Rochester, N. Y., which Mr. Shelden thinks to-day's Shelden Capital is better than the should have a place on the first page,

Another first-page story is a contribution from John W. Breidenthal, State Hank Commissioner and leading candidate for the Populist nomination for Clovernor, on the

The editorial page will contain leaders headed: "The Greatest Need of the World," "Tobacco," and "Railroad Discrimination and Trusts."

On other pages will appear articles on the progress of temperance, local kindergartens and a contribution from G. C. Clemens . . Kansas socialist, on the "Ethics of Social-

J. S. Peffer, a sen of former United States nator Peffer, committed suicide in Kan-

### Kruger Says British Won't Reach Pretoria.

Pretoria, March 13, 8 p. m., via Berlin, March 14, 10 n. m. ot opyright, 1900, by W. R. Hearsta-The longulers will only coase tighting with death Our forces are returning in good order to our first line of defense on

our own soil. The Natal campaign was longer in our favor than we expected.

The British will never reach Pretoria,

The burghers, Steyn, Joubert and myself, as well as all the others, are united. There are no differences, God help us!

KEI GEE

New York, March 14.-The abov message was received to-day direct from the President of the South African Republic, in response to a message sent by the Journal to President Kruzer. Both messages passed through two consulates, one embassy and two foreign offices, in elpher, President Kruger's message is the only uncensored communication the Preform Government has had with any newspaper since the British vs. tablished their censorship over the cables.

Young Peffer was engaged on the Capital

#### An Improvement.

It was the general verdict in Topeka that first force, both in point of news and general articles. The paper has a strong su-cialistic trend, and the hadding articles on New Zenhard and socialism have been wisely commented upon, in a tak with the newspaper reporters this morning. Mr. Shelden said he did not indorse all that but that in a general way be believed the writers were advocating conditions which would better humanity.

define "socialism," timess the word bybers tian" was placed in front of it, and then take the letton of the sermen on the mount. That great story, he said, embodies his

Mr. Sheldon was asked to explain why be had out out of the advertising columns of the Capital the announcements of time of ers of meeting of the numerous fratern eneficiary organizations and lodges of T peka. He said he was not yet ready to

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and members of other lodges and lenes that he will give as his reason for doing this that there are good and had be to societies, and, as with patent medicine ad-vertisements, he has not time to suver's gate, and therefore discusses all.

The local correspondents for the expetal ever Karses are taking a rest into we a. Very few floms are ordered from them. Lacal County Be public in conventions are now being held in the exercit counties to the shorton of delegates to the State twiegate Convention at Topeka in Mas, but this is a class of news which Mr. Sheeden does not want. The positivians who rund the County complete of the specific area of the county of the specific area. Septral complains of this ornis bon, but the protests do not avail. They want to know whether the auti-Leland bees factor win h the Capital organized two morths and, in progress the actions the State, but the must work some other course for this in

# BRITISH FLAG OVER BLOEMFONTE

## TO-DAY'S REPUBLIC.

Missouri-Cloudy Thursday: Friday fair; northerly winds. For Illinois-Cloudy Thursday; Priday fair; continued cold; fresh northerty winds.

For Arkansas-Cloudy and continued cold Thursday, with probably snow or rain in southern portion; Priday fair; northerly winds.

1. Sheldon Doesn't Care About Politics. Pritich Flog over Blockmontein.

Kipling on Cape Town Disloyalty. Godel's Specient in the Senate. Responsibility of Bank Officials,

2 Then Not Expect War With Russia. Now a set the Cherchen.

Elections in the County.

Regulaterana to Ivensy Tariff Legislation

5. Kern Company's Position Paight Juneal Through a Window, The Ballways. New Association of Stanway Men. Emberglement Charged.

L. I-chrimmatte and Personal Not 8, Machine Forces in the Exiden

 Suff r Relative to the Stiene d. President Sugar Geld Rad. Mrs. Hamberger on the Stand

forcity of Law Tracks High Romb Into Letgue Com-

Transfers of Realty. Writter Breeze

2 Genin and Problem Cattle Sales.

II Financial News Risce Telegrapes

14. To Aid World's Pale. Potlett Leags From a Window, Attivity Interests Completed Third Avenue Affairs. Good Sprinkling Promised. Line or Snow Predicted. Printfinite Law L'phoid

# Roberts's Legions March in While

# the Boers Fall Back to the North.

#### NOW BEGINS THE ADVANCE TO PRETORIA. :

BY MILTON V. SNYDER.

London, Thursday, March E.-The British | ordered to Bioenstontein at once. flag flics over the presidency at illoemfonkeys of the town were surrendered in due upon the approach of the British forces, the Transvani burgliers having meanwhile withdrawn from the neighborhood. The Stritish troops received a cordial welcome when they entered the town;

These events, the result of the Field Marshal's advance upon Bloomfontein on Tuesday, were made public in London hortly after 9 o'-io k last night. While it had been expected, the news was received with great rejoicing. In the service clubs corks pupped at a lively rate and touris were drunk to Roberts's health, with the rope that he would soon supplement the little force is becoming more desperate. taking of the Free State capital by the capture of Pretoin. Steps, "Like Press-Hobertz, has retired north of Withoug or Kroonstudt. It is probable that the army toffice announcing his occupation of Bloemof 1200 burghers who were flonked with

The general uplnion this morning as reorienr fighting.

appointing a provisional government to adainister the affairs of the Free State, Gou-

eral White is considered the best man to take hold of affairs there, and he may be | • has been righling troops into that •

Roberts can new turn his attention to ein in which building Field Marchal Role | Pretotia and to the south of the Free State, ets and his stuff proped lost tight. The where Clements, Gathere and Brakant have been holding the south bank of the Orange orm to the Commandet in-Chief by Mr. Hiver, waiting the order to push back the Fisher and other efficials of the Free State | Hoers, who are now in a bad position between them and ficherrs's army. No move- 13 7:30 p. m. Wednesday. It was made putment of any importance was reported in that section yesterday, but a concerted ad- I lay is attributed to the field telegraphs not vance probably will begin immediately. The Butch rebellion in Northeast Cate Colony neems to be collapsing. Kitchener who was directing operations, has been pouring firitish troops into the district. There is no news from Natal.

Though rumors of the reiter of Mafeking are plentiful, there is no definite news. Every hear the condition of Baden-Poweil's

#### ROBERTS'S DISPATCH. London, March H. The following is the

test of Lard Roberts's disputch to the War

-By the help of God and by the bravery flected in the Continental as well as the of her Majesty's soldlers, the troops under London press, is that the Free Staters have my command have taken possession of practically thrown up the sponge. It is con- | libermfontein. The British flag new files blered likely that a rear guard action will over the Presidency, evacuated has evening be fought at Kremstadt by irreconditation by Mr. Steyn, late President of the Orange of the Free State and the Transcaulers, and Free State. Mr. Frezer, member of the that then a retirement will be made from late Executive Government; the Mayor, the the Proc State and Notal upon the line of Secretary to the Inte Government, the Landthe Vanl River, where there is sure to be rest and other officials met me two miles from the rown and presented me with the

kers of the public offices, "The enemy have withdrawn from the

istorious army, bus margied into 🌩

His entrance was not opposed, The Boers have withdrawn to the .

Kruger says: "The British will hever reach Pretoria. We are ◆ united, God help us?"

Hiver are new between two British .

n strong positions in Northern Na- •

The rebellion in Victoria West • seems to be dying out. Kitchener •

a couldal welcome The above dispatch, though dated Tuesday, was not received at the War Office onlie a few minutes before 9 o'clock. The de-

ture of Bioemfontein began February H with the mivenes from Modder River and Honeynest Kloof. There were short ensegements at Dekler's and Kilp Drifts, but they were not of enough consequence to imsele the advance of the invading army.

In the relief of Kimberley without a battle. Meantime, Cronje slipped through the Britsh littes between French and the infantry. and a hot chase began, which ended Feb-chary is in a flerce battle near Koodon's Rand, where Cronje turned at buy,

with seventy guns pouring a constant fire on the larger from daylight to darkness. Ctonie surrendered February 27, and the cavalry and mounted infantry were sent out to beat back stray commandoes of Boers that had gathered to succor Cropic

Roberts has about 50,000 men of all arms

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# SHELDON EDITION.

# The Topeka Daily Capital.

NOL XXII.

THE UNION OF

Christendom. The sectarian denomi-

uniting to preserve the Lord's Sab- .

bath for rest and worship and minis-

united efforts to build up and de-

fend the sacred life of the home, •

center of all pure and useful power .

come together in a compact in love to lacktriangle

· God is greater than the kingdom of ·

ferent names as members of churches, .

bear only one name as members of .

the Church Universal. May he, who .

miracle of redemption through the

· sure processes of his own mighty ·

Spirit, open our ears to hear the .

• generation: "Th, my disciples, if ye •

be my disciples in deed and truth, .

· union of fellowship which shall win ·

Divine Voice, which says to this .

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## TOPEKA, KAN., THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1900.

A Medley of Superstition and Shrewdness - Mormon Belief in Plurality of Gods.

tury. Such a medicy of superstillin and shrewdness, of absurdity and suggetty, of telligious fanaticism and worldly windom Mary Magdalene, and probably of others. the world has never seen. Recent events have so brought this strange faith and peuliar people into the feeus of public attention that correct information conversing the "Church of Jesus Curlet of Latter leay

a restored form of the gospet. It claims but universal Christendom had departed from apostoite doctrine and practice, and bence God called Joseph Smith to be the prophet and great high priest of a new dispensation. Through tim has been re-established the Melchis-jek and Astonic prieloods. As no sucrifices are offered, not even | Mermon Church, signatized his withdrawal is to have the love in our hearts that \[ \ \ \] urder to easy my convolence on the India the sacrifice of the mass as in the Cuthoda. Its poledshirm an over letter to President Church, the functions of the priesthood are Angus M. Cannon, in which he says: to exercise authority and to be the channel | price through which gione saving grace can flow in

> mersion, administered by one of the priestthere, while the Book of Mormon was a Western Continent, But, more important than either is the Book of Doctrines and | Legislature." Coverants, containing revolutions to Joseph

eives revelations from time to time and he later revelations supersele those preciously given if in any particular they disgree. Hence, polygamy, though forbloden y the Book of Mormon, was communiced to Joseph Smith, then "suspended" throng President Woodruff, and may be at any line re-established by a later communication to some inspired head of the church. Baptism for the dead is a prominent doctrine of the sect. As there can be no salvation but by immersion, administered by a priest, the generations who have died without this rite are held in a ghostly prison mtil some friendly soul on earth shall undergo vicarious haptism in their name President Woodruff, shortly before his death, stated in the Salt Lake Talermach that forty years ago he had been buptized in one of the Utah temples in the names of George Washington, Thomas Jefferson and many other of the fathers of the country. and that thereupon these worthles had been freed from their imprisonment and intro-

juced into the heavenly state. This superstition gives the priesthood a fearful power over the people, for they are made to believe that not only their own salvations, but that of their departed kindred have a heavenly Mother as well as a heav-enly Father, for how, otherwise could God

MORMONISMAT HOME To Suit a little and the source of the suit and the source of the suit of his children, as those will form the mile, or tribe over which he will reign filowed him to seems a numerous off-filing As the marriage relation will contistried saint will enjoy a perpetual all To sustain the duetrine and practice of polycomy it is taught and generally be

> Sabara for dryness and barrenness. The true test of a religion is its effect then character and couldn't Judged by this

You could lay your fingers on high ties for houses of til-fame and for saleons.

ricelty and a marvel. "When twenty-one members of your State arranged to furnish a grand brothel on commercial street, we never heard your protest Sixteen years ago, when the editor living issues came to Suit found the saloon, the gaming hell and the brothel in full swing. At that time no non-mormon had ever been in the City Council, no nonmormon had ever been elected to the

EICHARD WAKE.

## TO JOIN ROBERTS.

parently Changed.

Durban, Natal, March 14.-(Copyright, 1900, by W. R. Hearst.)-General Buller has apparently changed his plan of campaign and will try to effect a junction with Roberts's army through Van Reseant's Pass. General Warren, who left for Cape Town, has now been recalled to the front and his division. which was already embarked on transports. after being detained a short time here, has been ordered back to Upper Natal, along with Less troops landed from the Majestic All the Ladysmith garrison is now enjoying a brief furlough in the highlands around Pietermaritzburg.

the flight of the Boers outside Bloemfontein by a speech exhorting them not to lose courage, but to fight to the litter eng. He said that the British, having wiped out the depends upon their obedience to the church. glories of the Majuba anniversary, should They believe in many gods; that God, the | now herve the Federal troops to strain every Father, was once a man and still is a body of flesh and bones. They teach that we tention was to crush Afrikanderdom, he said, and deprive the burghers of freedom.

# MINORITIES ALSO SHOULD BE

What the American Proportional Representation League

Asks.

(From an address of the American Proportional Representation League, offers. The evils of partylem come not the open bottse of Parliament.

party, or political group, springs at once into existence, clothed with all the power and apportunity of its older rivals. This is of itself a sufficient restraint to keep the

telm of proportional representation for the election of Senators and Representatives. All the principal countries of Europe bave their proportional representation societies which are appealing to their respective The argument for proportional representations are appropriate towerments for a hearing. Some of these tion applies with special force to city poll- matrix, the English, have a large followties. If the appeal for nonpartinanship in jug in the legislative body. The English local politics is ever heard, it will be some reducter have also been the scene of active steps to be taken before that are halo condi- | home of has repeatedly passed a bill apply-Mormon church is a veritable desert of ter than to take advantage of the best bers, as well as those of municipal bodies. there is in party government, and work The upper house has so far refused to toward the desired end through the friend- accept the bill; but it is encouraging to ship of the voters, rather than to attempt note that the opposition is steadily recedto wreach them by the fo ble force of e'h- jug. It will be remembered that some time at arguments from their ancient moor age the Tasmanian Parliament passed a bill tage. While the great moss of the voters, making a temporary use of the system of are not yet ready to respect to an appeal electing representatives. It was so enfor nonpartisanship, they are ready and thely successful that the people were con willing to support the better elements in series almost en masse; so that it is but

> result of the election. There are no useless resulted in the election of a number votes in abnormal majorities, nor are there | men publicly pledged to the adoption of any wasted votes in unrepresented minori- proportional representation.

## LEADING EDITORIALS TO-DAY.

## By The Capital Publishing Co.

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torials in this morning's issue of the Sheldon Topeka Capital (by telegraph to The Republic): THE WORLD'S GREATEST MEED.

## If Jesus were here again, vofting the very

civilization that we face, and seeing in detail all that we see, living the life that we trath would be emphasize?

practically the same things he said to the age into which he was born. It would not surprise us if the first sermon he preached to a congregation here in Topeka er anvwhere else would have for its text, "Resent." or possibly the old words, "Ye must

be born again," or "Seek ye first the

If this is true, if Jesus would preach more than anything else the need of a regenerated humanity, then that is the great-Associate Editor lest nevil of the world, I do not mean to or words. The very fact of this great need would compel preaching about the detailed seifishness which makes the need itself. It not easy to conceive of Christ keeping silent on the liquor question, as it faces us or saying nothing about the greed of much of the modern business life, or the horrors of war or the injustice of man to man in his commercial relations. He would undoubtedly speak in detail against this sin But he would do so because the one great need of all humanity is regeneration of Rfe.

The new heavens and the new earth where "dwelleth rightsousness" will be possible ben men are born again. Self-shness is at the bottom of all the wrong, there is not a ruined home, there is not a tangled condition of life anywhere that does not have for its resi cause a selfish life. The greatest need of the world is the sin of all the generations. And as fast as it is taken away by the power of daily life, so fast will the life of men on the earth become the happy, strong beautiful

erated humanity. CHARLES M. SHELDON. (Signed) RAH-ROAD DISCRIMINATIONS AND

est need of Topeka, of Kansas of the Uni

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being comested with Bloemfontein on Tuesday evening NOW FOR PRETORIA.

#### General Roberts's campaign for the cap-

On Petruary 13 General French began his masterly march with his cavalry division from Klip Drift that ended two days later

Roberts harried up re-enforcements until he had the little band of Boers encircled

A week later the pursuit of the Boers, un-der Commandants Delarcy and De Wet, was hegun, which ended in the capture of the Free State capital yesterday vith no serious fighting except that of last Saturday

## NO. 63.

KILL RELIGIOUS BELIEF. Work of the Bohemian Press and Fraternal Orders-Remark-

able Growth.

SOCIETIES ORGANIZED TO

Editorial Note-The author of this article. Doctor Woltistek was once an atheist himself. The circumstances attending the death of a beloved child converted him to the Christian faith. Since that time he has devoted his life to the conversion of his own people. The facts he states in this article are so serious that the editor believes they ought to be considered by the Christians of the world. The article itself will be used as the basis of a propaganda among the Bohemians to bring them to a saving knowledge of their danger and bring them into

#### the Kingdom of God. By the Ministerial Union of Cedar

Rapids, In.) To the Editor of the Capital-The Ministerial Union of Cedar Rapids, Ia., calls attention to the pamphlet (the second) recently published by the Bohemian Brotherhood League of Cedar Rapids, of which F. J. Woltishek is president. This band of earnest Christians was organized a year ago, aroused by the growth of infidelity and the prevalence of suicide among their fellow countrymen in America, and they have been raising a loud voice of protest against

these evils. In the first pamphlet, published in August last, translated into English, September 26, 1899, it was shown that the number of sufcides in the Bohemian fraternal benefit socleties was from five to ten times as great us in American orders. The pamphlet quotes official statistics from the mortuary reports of the C. S. P. S. (Bohemian Benefit Society), C. S. P. B. J. (Bohemian Fraternal Benefit Society), and the J. T. (Union of Taborites), showing that in the first of these orders one death in every ten, and in the second one in every five, and in the third

one in every three is a suicide The pamphlet alleged that the chief cause of this startling number of suicides was insay that he would not use any other texts filelity. It charged the Bohemian societies with regularly propagating infidelity and argued that infidelity paves the way to sulcide and many consequent cytis. The pamphlet illustrates by particular quotations. The quotations are made from the papers having the largest circulation, and 'similar articles can be found in all Bohemian newspapers, weekly and daily, with

> Quotations From the Bohemian Press. The editor of the Dennice Novoveku, Cleveland, O., in an address given at the Detroit C. S. P. S. convention last summer. and printed in his paper August 31, 1899, defames religion and exalts infidelity, proclaiming that "infidelity alone holds up the Bohemian nation in America. If it should fail all our glory is at an end. . . . are the essence and guaranty and the only

barely an exception."

hope of the Bohemian nationality in this country." The Pokrok Zapadu of Omaha-An article appears in this paper September 5, 1899, on "Nationality and the Church." It says. among other things: "Every religion or faith is enslaving, it matters not whether it be Catholic. Protestant or something else.

#### Organ of the Turners. The American Turner is the official organ

of the Bohemian Turner societies. In the September issue, 1899, is an editorial on "The Death of Mr. Ingersoll": "Our Turner Brotherhood is universally considered a

# vice president; Arnold Rowley, secretary;

# Jells for the First Time the

#### Story of How Alexander II of Russia Was Assassinated.

NEXT SUNDAY'S REPUBLIC.

# DOLS I'T CARE MUCH ABOUT POLITICS.

# First Thing on the First Page-So-

Topoka, Kas., March 14 - A member of in teresting subjects will be handled in to-morrow morning a Capital. The first story

saicide is the result of such to a him among ! Business Manager Keiner Saturday mora-

"Topeka Tax Dodger," showing how Topeka people avoid the City Assessor.

Mr. Sheldon bas written an editorial on the "Unity of Christendom," which he will run on the first page.

boys over 14 are: Harry Close, president CHRISTENDOM. . retary, Washburn College: Charles Low marson, treasurer, Clay School, and Morris Griffin, sergeant-at-arms, Jackson School,

narrow limits of the churches are no . longer visible as a barrier to fellow- • ship. The union of services has come to take the place of disunion of • dcrms. Fellow-disciples of one common • aim of those who have charge of Master, let us realize our power if . we come together to save the world .! through Christ. What is to hinder . us from uniting as brothers and sis-Another meeting will be held at the Y ters to destroy the sin of the liquor business? What can hinder us from .

#### boped that this man, will be better represented. C. C. SMITH. FOR THE PAMINE SUFFERERS.

his kingdom. The church is greater . than opinion. And the kingsom of . The Edit to op Tuesday's Capital a thrill went the niffion to that holy cause and that el

#### · the world to faith in the Savier and · to life everlasting." CHARLES M. SHELDON. .

### BOYS ORGANIZE A LEAGUE. They Pledge Themselves to Abstain

From the tse of Tobacco. Nearly 159 of the boys of Topcka me yesterday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium to effect the organization of was addressed by Miss Gaston and Doctor Struble: The Young People's Good Citizen ship Federation, which will have a general eversight of the League, was represented by the president, W. C. Ralston, and the The boys practiced together un the new league yell, which is as follows:

Topeka boys say so! After the meeting had been called torder, the boys were divided into two these under 14 years old and those that age. Those who become members of the League sign the following 'i do hereby pledge myself, upon honer,

Hear us yell! Hear us yell!

Cigarettes must go!

to abstain from smoking eigarettes or using tobacco in any form, at least until I reach the age of 21 years, and to use my influence to induce others to do the sa-The younger boys elected the following Dean Davis, president: Homer Sheldon, had emigrated here to better their

. Letters From the Capital Readers on Marior, Kas., March 14. The Reverend one another and to a world's Re- ◆ Charles M. Sheldon: Dear Sir Reading your deemer. We do not need to have the • | first edition will cost me at least \$5, for I same theological creed. All we need • will have to domaic at least that amount

> way to get control of heathendom is a whibit the love of a brother for those that are suffering. The impetes from the promnee you have given this subject will be thousands, if not scores of thousands,

About 450 of Them Reach New York From Home.

Not one of them was detained as a purper They were steerage voyagers on the What

essible draft into the English army, They have no desire to fight against the Boers. The Reverend Father Henry of the Mission of Our Lady of the Rosary and Secretary McCool were at the barge office to watch the janding of their countrymen and women. The girls who could not continu on to their destination to-night were cated

Some of the stalwart lrish youths ad-

John Beal, treasurer, and Roy Clawsy, ser-Harrison School; Albert Parker, vice president, Harrison School; Frank Worley, see

The plan is to organize as many local the city. The officers of these local leagues national lines that once bounded the . will represent their leagues in districtrice leagues will make up the City League The Young People's Good Citizenship Federation has chosen E. G. Foster, principal of Harrison School, to be general superintendent of the work in the city. It is the League to secure a membership of at least

#### the meeting vesterday more than haif of the boys were from Harrison School, It

(We hope a good many other people will case their conscience in the same Another letter on this subject is as fol-Topeka, Kas. March 14-The Reverend naries M. Sheldon: Dear Sir. When I took e as I noted that you had given the most comment place in the paper to the needs the starving Hindoo- Would to God at some multimillionaire would devote a

#### lives and will add many converts t ALBERT GRIFFIN.

IRISH LADS AND LASSIES.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, March 14.-Irish lads and lassies titled the barge office to-day. There were at least 150 of the lassies, brownhaired, black-haired or red-haired and rosy, cheeked. Of the men, fully 30 marched post the registry clerks and they were all able to give good accounts of themselves, Star Liner Oceanic, which brought in nearly 1,000. Almost half of them were Irish:

mitted that they were here to escape a for at the mission-house. Secretary McCool said that while there was no doubt that many of the men did come to avoid a possibility of being drafted, the rank and file of the Irish on the ship

# MAKES FEW CONVERTS IN UTAH, BUT LOSES MANY.

Mormonism is the conundrum of the cent

Inquiries concerning Mormenism cluster around three points -creed, religious life and 1. The Creed-Mormonton professes to be

There can be no salvation without int. Prinking, swearing and had language are nersion, administered by one of the priest, so constain that when a good brother turns y order, and complete obsdience to its commands in all things. The destring of 'immediate revelation" is the corner stone of revelations. It revealed the divine will of revelation to the early labelitants of the

Smith and other modern seers. Each succeeding brad of the church re-

howard charges on which the Christian faith thou is attained, and in the meantime the how we More system of proportional repre its at As regates religious emotion, the

to average Protestart communities, Proin the church. The editor of Living issues, a highly respected citizen of Salt Lake

Buller's Plan of Campaign Ap-BY JOSEPH H. DUNN. SPECIAL BY CABLE.

it is reported here that Kruger stopped enly Father, for how, otherwise could God be the Father of Spirits? They believe that Adam was the "Ancient of Days," that he is our father and God; that Eve was a celestial wife, whom he brought with him from heaven. They also believe that all foes.

REPRESENTED.

politicians within bounds The cause of elective reform seems to be making steady progress throughout the

their respective parities when opportunity is question of little time till they overawe parties themselves, but from In South Australia, Victoria and New abuses which have grown up about them Zealand, the question has also entered and which can be readily climinated by practical posities, and is now one of the means of proportional representation. The principal besses. In Canada a very agreementatives elected in Switzerland four greenive campaign is being made by the a direct relation to the voters, every vote advocates of proportional representation. has an immediate and direct effect upon the The recent election at Winnipeg, Manitoba,

The Topeka Daily Capital. kingdom of God."

Official State Paper Following are the principal edi-

live now, what would be his answer to the question of the world's greatest need? What would be preach about oftenest? What texts would be use? What central it is easy to imagine Jesus facing a multitude of all sorts and conditions of men in this generation and saying to them

> TRESTS.
>
> The carnest appeal of the millers of Kansas against what they claim is unjust

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